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IN VACATION.

Aged Criminal (who has just got a life sentence): Oh, yer honor, I shall never live to do it.

Judge (soothingly): Never mind! Do as much of it as you can.
—Boston Transcript.

Young Democrat: "Say, dad, what keeps us from falling off the earth when we are upside down?"

"Why, the law of gravity, of course."

"But how did folks stay on before that law was passed?"—Ex.

Taking up and Laying Down.—"Who are those students with books under their arms?"

"They're taking up the law."

"And what's the old man in a gown, back of that bench doing?"

"Oh, he's laying it down."—Ex.

Knew the Judge.—The prisoner faced the judge in a New Orleans Court:

"How many times have you been here before?"

"Never sir," answered the man.

"But your face is so familiar."

"I tend bar across the street from the St. Charles, Sir," replied the prisoner.—The Lawyer and Banker.

Misogamy?

The man who has three wives, or more,

Is guilty of polygamy;

But should he merely have a pair,

His crime is bigamy;

And while 'tis not a crime, 'tis said,

Monotony is having one.

I ask you, single lawyer friends,

What is it if he should have none?—Ex.